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TO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 176135

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, PK

SUBJECT: P AND A DATA DECISIONS FOR PAKISTAN

REF: A. TEHRAN 7134; B. STATE 170830; C. STATE 141852

(NOTAL); STATE 40693; STATE 43735

1. DEPARTMENT CONCURS IN EMBASSY'S RECOMMENDATION THAT GOI
BE BRIEFED ON P AND A DECISIONS TAKEN FOR PAKISTAN, AS
DESCRIBED IN REF B. FOR GENERAL STATEMENT OF USG POSITION,
YOU SHOULD DRAW ON FEBRUARY 25 POLICY ANNOUNCEMENT (STATE
40693) AND PRESS BACKGROUNDER (STATE 43735) WHICH OUTLINES
THE BROAD POLICY FRAMEWORK IN WHICH WE ARE CONSIDERING
SPECIFIC REQUESTS. EMPHASIS SHOULD BE GIVEN TO RESTRAINTS
ON OUR POLICY, E.G., WE DO NOT INTEND TO STIMULATE AN ARMS
RACE IN SOUTH ASIA OR BECOME A MAJOR REGIONAL ARMS SUPPLIER;
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WE EXPECT TO CONCENTRATE ON ITEMS RELATED TO PAKISTAN'S
LEGITIMATE NEEDS TO STRENGTHEN ITS DEFENSIVE CAPABILITIES;
AND WE ARE NOT PLANNING TO PROVIDE GRANT OR CREDIT ASSIST-
ANCE.

2. WITH REGARD TO FIXED WING AIRCRAFT, WE ARE NOT NOW PREPARED TO CONSIDER THE QUESTION (EXCEPT FOR UNARMED OR LIGHTLY ARMED TRAINERS SUCH AS THE T-37). GOP IS WELL BRIEFED ON OUR POSITION AS SET FORTH IN STATE 141852 (REPEATED TO TEHRAN). GOP AT POLITICAL LEVEL HAS EXPRESSED UNDERSTANDING OF THIS POSITION AND HAS NOT RPT NOT ADVANCED REQUESTS FOR P AND A DATA ON A-7 OR F-5, ALTHOUGH PAF CONTINUES TO MAINTAIN ITS INTEREST IN U.S. AIRCRAFT.

3. WE ARE LOOKING AT QUESTION OF PROPOSED T-33 TRANSFER AND WILL REPLY SEPARATELY. KISSINGER

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